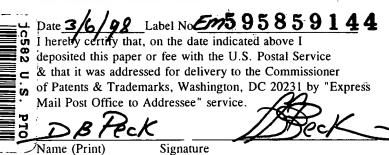
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## REISSUE OF US PATENT NO. 5,290,551 TO BERD

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is an application for a reissue of United States Patent No. 5,290,551 to Berd, entitled "TREATMENT OF MELANOMA WITH A VACCINE COMPRISING IRRADIATED AUTOLOGOUS MELANOMA TUMOR CELLS CONJUGATED TO A HAPTEN." The patent issued March 1, 1994, and is assigned to Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, P.A. The reissue application includes:

- 1. Specification and 2 original claims
- 2. Preliminary Amendment
- 3. Declaration by Inventor under 37 C.F.R. §1.175
- 4. Assent to Reissue by Assignee Thomas Jefferson University
- 5. Offer to Surrender the Original Letters Patent by Assignee (37 C.F.R. §1.178) and a Submission Establishing Ownership under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b)
- 6. Powers of Attorney by Inventor
- 7. Powers of Attorney by Assignee

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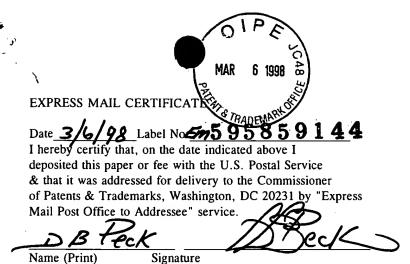
Check in the amount of \$ 790.00 (\$790.00 filing fee). This fee covers 2 independent claim (1 original and 1 new) and 18 dependent claims (1 original and 17 new). The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency in this amount or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

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## **REISSUE SPECIFICATION AND CLAIMS**

Sir:

Attached is a column-by-column copy of U.S. Patent No. 5,290,551 for "TREATMENT OF MELANOMA WITH A VACCINE COMPRISING IRRADIATED AUTOLOGOUS MELANOMA TUMOR CELLS CONJUGATED TO A HAPTEN" granted to David Berd on March 1, 1994.